



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Richard Michael LOWRY

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**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed February 3, 2006, Applicant respectfully requests entry of the following amendments and remarks into the file of this application.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.

The fee which is believed to be due for this submission is \$50 for the presentation of one additional claim. Please charge any and all required fees, including any fees for an extension of time for responding, to Winston & Strawn LLP Deposit Account No. 50-1814.